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Applicants : Kazuo HOKKIRIGAWA et al.
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Title : UNDERWATER SLEEVE BEARING AND
APPLICATION THEREOF
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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER
37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Sir:

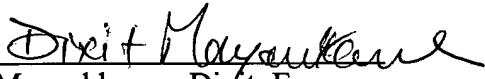
Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), applicants hereby petition for a one-month extension of the period set to reply to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application dated May 20, 2004.

A check in the amount of \$110.00, in payment of the fee set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(1), is enclosed herewith. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fee or to credit any overpayment in connection with this petition to Deposit Account 50-0675, Order No. 051319/0166.

A duplicate copy of this Petition is submitted herewith.

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